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## IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims 5 and 7 as follows:

5. (Amended) The carrier reproducing method according to [any one of claims 1 to 4] any one of claims 1, 2 or 4, characterized in that said predetermined angular velocity ( $\alpha$ ) is an  $\alpha$  having positive polarity or negative polarity.

Claim 7, line 1, change "A carrier reproducing method" to -- A synchronous detecting apparatus--.

Please delete claim 9 and add new claim 10 as follows:

--10. The synchronous detesting apparatus according to claim 7 or 8, further comprising a circuit (4) for determining a value of the predetermined time interval taking said auto-correlation, according to said I, Q signals.—

## **REMARKS**

Claim 5 has been amended to correct the multiple dependency therein. Claim 7 has been amended, claim 9 deleted and claim 10 added to correct informalities in the Article 19 Amendment. Examination on the merits is requested.

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